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In re application of : **Confirmation No. 3213**  
Kikukatsu ITO : Docket No. 2001-1838A  
Serial No. 10/009,962 : Group Art Unit Not Yet Assigned  
Filed January 23, 2002 : Examiner Not Yet Assigned  
PLANT THERMOGENIC GENES :  
AND PROTEINS :

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a one month extension of time to respond to the communication of  
February 13, 2002.

The fee of \$110.00 is

(X) submitted herewith.

() to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is  
enclosed.

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CFR 1.9 and 1.27 which

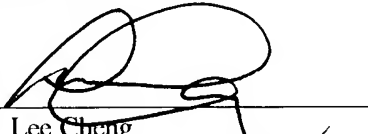
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Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

Attached hereto is a check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover Patent Office fees relating to filing the following attached papers:

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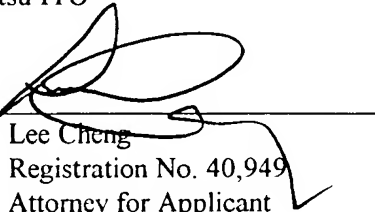
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*The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or to credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0975, with the EXCEPTION of deficiencies in fees for multiple dependent claims in new applications.*

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